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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No. SIG000084

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Title METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ACCURATE DIGITAL-TO-ANALOG CONVERSION

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g. PTO/SB/17)

(submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
Applicant claims small entity status.

2. See 37 CFR 1.27.

3. Specification [Total Pages 31]

(preferred arrangement set forth below)

- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross Reference to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed Sponsored R&D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Pages 8]

5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 2]

- a. Newly executed (original or copy)

Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))

- b. (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

- i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)

Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s), named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: _____

Prior application information: Examiner: _____

Group Art Unit: _____

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Fee Description	Fee Paid
Utility filing fee	375.00
Design filing fee	
Plant filing fee	
Reissue filing fee	
Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL(1)	(\$) \$375.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES Fee From Below

Extra Claims	Fee Paid
18 -20** -2 X 9 = 0.00	
Independent Claims 4 -3** / 1 X 42 = 42.00	
Multiple Dependent	

Fee Description
 Claims in excess of 20
 Independent claims in excess of 3
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3.. ADDITIONAL FEES

Fee Description	
Surcharge-late filing fee or oath	
Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
Non-english specifications	
For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
Extension for reply within first month	
Extension for reply within second month	
Extension for reply within third month	
Extension for reply within fourth month	
Extension for reply within fifth month	
Notice of Appeal	
Filing a brief in support of appeal	
Request for oral hearing	
Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
Petition to revive - unavoidable	
Petition to revive unintentional	
Utility Issue Fee (or reissue)	
Design Issue Fee	
Plant Issue Fee	
Petitions to the Commissioner	
Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
Submissions of Information Disclosure Stmt	
Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	\$10.00
Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
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Request for expedited Examination of design applica	
Other fee (specify) _____	
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